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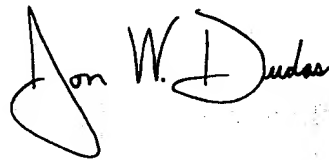
It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

Title Page:

Item "(73) Assignee:" Change "Sanyo Electric Co., Ltd., Osaka (JP)"
to -- MINOLTA CO., LTD., Osaka (JP) --.

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